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App	lican	t herewith	submits to the United S	States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/U	S) the following items and other information:									
1.	Ø	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371												
2.		This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371												
3.	(21)	This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9), and (1) indicated below.												
4.		The US has been elected (Article 31).												
5.		A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).												
		a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).												
		b.	b. 🛛 has been transmitted by the International Bureau.											
	_	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).												
6.	M	An English translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).												
		a.	is attached		•									
		b.	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).											
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).												
		a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).												
		b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau.												
		С.	_	een made; however, the time limit for making	g such amendments has NOT expired.									
		d.	☐ have not be	een made and will not be made.										
8.		An Engli	sh translation of the am	nendments to the claims under PCT Article	19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).									
9.	\boxtimes	An unsig	ned oath or declaration	of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).										
10.		An English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)) and/or amendments under Article 34.												
Iten	ns 11	to 20 Bel	low concern other do	cument(s) or information included:										
11.	\boxtimes	An Inform	mation Disclosure State	ement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.										
12.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.												
13.	\boxtimes	A preliminary amendment.												
14.		An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.												
15.		A substitute specification.												
16.		A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.												
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.												
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).												
19.		A second	d copy of the English la	nguage translation of the international appli	cation under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
20.	Other items or information: Return Post card.													

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